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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.56, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the reference(s) listed on the attached PTO-1449. Unless otherwise indicated herein, one copy of each reference is attached. It is respectfully requested that the information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the reference(s) be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom. Applicants respectfully request the Examiner return an initialed copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 to Applicants with the next Office communication to indicate that the reference(s) has been considered, per MPEP § 609.

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The references cited in the International Search Report were cited by or submitted to the Office in parent application no. PCT/KR03/00051, filed January 10, 2003, which is relied upon for an earlier filing date under 35 U.S.C. §120. Thus, copies of these references are not required. 37 C.F.R. §1.98(d). According to the Notification of Acceptance in this file, copies of the references are already in the U.S. Patent Office file. However, we are attaching a copy of each of the references for the Examiner's convenience. An English language version of the International Search Report is also attached for the Examiner's information.

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